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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF

JESSICA SILVER, D.V.M.

FOR LICENSURE TO PRACTICE VETERINARY MEDICINE IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners (hereinafter the "Board") upon receipt of information regarding conduct of its licensee, Jessica Silver, D.V.M., which the Board has reviewed.

The Board's review of the information indicated that, on or about November 1, 2014, Dr. Silver was granted suspended proceedings, namely, conditional discharge, by the Municipal Court

The Board considered this entire matter, including Dr. Silver's written submissions and all the relevant documents submitted. It finds and concludes that Dr. Silver has engaged in acts constituting a crime or offense relating adversely to the practice of veterinary medicine, contrary to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f), when she was found in possession of a C.D.S., in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:35-10A(4).

It therefore appearing that licensee Jessica Silver, D.V.M., desires to resolve this matter without recourse to any additional or formal proceedings; and that the respondent is not contesting the findings of the Board contained in the within Order; and the respondent waiving her right to a hearing and the Board finding that the disposition of the matter as set forth herein is adequately protective of the public health, safety and welfare, and other good cause appearing:

## IT IS, THEREFORE, ON THIS day of FEBRUARY 2015, HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

- 1. Respondent Jessica Silver, D.V.M., is hereby reprimanded for her conduct as described above, in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f).
- 2. Dr. Silver's license to practice veterinary medicine is hereby suspended for a period of twelve (12) months, entirely stayed and to be served as a period of probation. The stayed

suspension will commence on the date of the filing of this Order.

- 3. The respondent shall comply with the conditions of the conditional discharge requirements imposed by the Municipal Court of the Borough of Franklin, County of Sussex, in its November 1, 2014 Suspension of Proceedings Order, including the payment of the fines and costs and the successful completion of the one (1) year supervisory treatment program, prior to the conclusion of the stayed suspension of her license.
- 4. Any allegations of misconduct and/or violations of the Veterinary Medical Practice Act and/or its accompanying regulations on the part of Dr. Silver during her probationary period, which are substantiated by the Board, shall serve as grounds for activation of the stayed period of suspension and any other appropriate disciplinary action as the Board may determine.
- 5. A personal appearance before the Board may be required, prior to the conclusion of the stayed suspension/ probationary period, at which time the burden will be on Dr. Silver to demonstrate that she is fit and professionally qualified to continue discharging the responsibilities of a licensed veterinarian in the State of New Jersey.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Bv:

MARK W. LOGAN V.M

President

I have read and understand the within Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.

JESSICA SILVER, D.V.M

DATED: 2110//S